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Sensor System Including A Port Body

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF PERIOD FOR RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

I hereby certify that this document is being sent via First Class U.S. mail addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on ____ this day of ____, 2002.

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of Two Months (from November 5, 2002 to December 5, 2002) within which to respond to the Office Action dated July 5, 2002. A check in the amount of \$400.00 is enclosed herewith to cover the extension fee.

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Respectfully submitted,

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